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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Irene BOZZONI et al.

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Application No. 10/520,401

Group 1652

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Examiner Delia Ramirez

PURIFICATION, CLONING AND BIOCHEMICAL
CHARACTERIZATION OF XENDOU, ENDORIBONUCLEASIC
ACTIVITY INVOLVED IN SMALL NUCLEAR RNA SPLICING-
INDEPENDENT BIOSYNTHESIS IN XENOPUS LAEVIS

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 10, 2007

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of April 10, 2007,
for which the period for response has been extended three months,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this
paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing
of claims which begins on page 13 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 15 of this
paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.

An **Appendix** is attached following the signature page of
this paper.